



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Brendon Conlan et al.)
Application No. 09/887,208) Group Art Unit: 1753
Filed: June 22, 2001) Examiner: Arun S. Phasge
For: Removal of Biological Contaminants)

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated October 7, 2004, the period of response to which has been extended through April 7, 2005 through a petition for a 3-month extension of time and authorization for fee payment, Applicants request that the Examiner reconsider the subject application in light of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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